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The red bandana against the bloody shirt, and two to one on the bandana.

of Orange.

The Young Men's Democratic Club, of Raleigh, had a big torch-light procession and demonstration Friday night. Stirring speeches were made by Gov. A. M. Scales, Hon. Daniel G. Fowle, Richard Battle, Esq., Donald W. Bain, Maj. S. M. Finger, and others. Truly things are warming up.

From the Raleigh News and Observer, we learn that the University has conferred the degree of LL. D. upon Mr. T. B Kingsbury, the accomplished editor of the Wilmington Star; Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of Missouri, a leading chief pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, and Hon. R. P. Dick, the well known and scholarly jurist of Greenesboro. It conferred the degree of D. D. upon Rev. Samuel Rothrock, one of the leading Lutheran ministers of the State.

warm and true friends in this, as well as in all other sections of the State: "The gallant and chivalrous and knightly Stedman, though forced to wear for a time the thorn studded aureole of defeat, has woven for himself a garland of admiration that will be kept fresh and frahe was in the bright sunshine of the golden promises of victory he is almost adored now, as he stands in the shadow of defeat, and dispotring, though now uncrowned, the regal majesty of kingliest nobility, and wearing the royal robes of the grandest manly deportment."

## DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

We see it stated that on July the 4th there is to be held in the city of Baltimore a meeting of representatives from a large number of Young Men's Democratic Clubs from various States. The meeting is one of exceeding importance and every State ought to be represented.

The Philadelphia Record says: "The programme combines business and pleasure. During the day it is expected that the delegates will devote themselves to earnest work, but on the nights of July 4th and 5th there will be entertainments in their honor, while on the afternoon of July 6th there will be an excursion down the Chesapeake bay. The convention will adjourn to Washington, where a parade will take place, and where speeches will be made by prominent Democratic Congressmen.

National Democratic Platform, "The Democratic party of the United States, in National Convention assembled, renews the pledges of its fidelity to Democratic faith and, reaffirming the platform adopted by its representatives in the Chicago Convention of 1884, endorses the views expressed by President Cleveland in his last earnest message to Congress as a correct interpretation of that platform upon the question of tariff reduction; and also endorses the efforts of our Democratic representatives in Congress to secure a reduction of the excessive taxation. Among its principles of party faith are the maintenance of an indissoluble union of the free and indestructible States, now about to enter upon its second century of unexampled progress and renown, and devotion to the government, regulated by the written constitution; strictly specifying every. granted power and expressly reserving to the States or the people the entire ungranted residue of power; the encourage ment of the jealous and popular vigilence directed to all who have been chosen for brief terms to enact and execute the portant news, or discuss briefly and properly laws and are charged with the duty of preserving peace and equity, and estabif acceptable in every other way, they will lishing justice. The democratic party invariably be rejected if the real name of the welcomes an exacting scrutiny of the author is withheld. You can sign any ficti- administration of the Executive power, tions name you please, but for our protection which four years ago was committed to its trust, in the election of Grover Cleveland, as President of the United States, but it challenges the most searching inquiry concerning its fidelity and devotion to the pledges which then involved the suffrages of the people during the most critical period of our financial affairs, resulting from over taxation, the anomalous condition of our currency, and public debt unmatured. It has by a wise and conservative course not only averted disasters, but greatly promoted the prosperity of our people. It has reversed the improvident and unwise policy of the republican party, touching public domain, and has reclaimed from corporations and syndicates, alien and domestic, and restored to the people nearly one hundred million acres of land, to be sacredly held as homesteads for our citizens. While carefully guarding the interests of the principles of justice and equity it has paid out more for pensions and bounties to soldiers and sailors of the Republic than was ever paid before during an equal period. It has adopted and consistently pursued a firm and pruall nations, while scrupulously maintaining all rights and interests of our own government and people at home and abroad. The exclusion from our shores of Chinese labor has been effectually secured under the provisions of a treaty, the operation of which has been postponed by the action of the republican majority in the Senate. In every branch and department of the government, under democratic control, the rights and welfare of all people have been guarded and defended, every public interest has been protected and the equality of all our citizens before the law, without re- stock of WHISKIES, BRANDIES, WINES, gard to race or color, has been steadfastly maintained. Upon its record thus exhibited and upon the pledge of a con- following leading brands:

tinuance to the people of the benefits of democracy, it invokes a renewal of popular trust by the re-election of the Chief Magistrate who has been faithful, able and prudent; it invokes in addition to that, the trust, by transfer also to the democracy, of the entire legislative power. The republican party, controlling the Senate and resisting in both houses of Congress the reformation of the unjust and unequal tax laws which have outlasted the necessities of war and are now undermining the abundance of long peace, and deny to the people equality before law and the fairness and justice which are their rights. Thus the cry of Americalled.

can labor for a better share in industry is stifled with false pretense; enterprise is fettered and bound down to home markets, and capital is discouraged; yet the laws can neither be properly amended or repealed. The democratic party will continue, with all the power confided to it, to struggle to reform these laws in accordance with the pledges of its last platform, which was endorsed at the ballot box by the suffrages of the people of all industries. The freemen of our land-an immense majority, including brands of Wines, Clarets, every tiller of the soil-gets no advantage from excessive tax laws, but the Ales, Porter, etc. price of nearly everything they buy is increased by favoritism, or the unequal system of tax legislation. All unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation. It is repugnant to the creed of democracy that by such taxation the cost of the neces saries of life should be unjustifiably intaxation, trusts and combinations are permitted to exist, which, while unduly enriching a few they combine for the rob- Bottles. bery of our citizens, by depriving them Every democratic rule of governmental

The Wilson Mirror, thus speaks o Charles M. Stedman, who has many of the benefits of national competition. action is violated, when, through unnecessary taxation, a vast sum of money, far beyond the needs of an economical as a demoralizing surplus in the National grant and beautiful as long as nobility than one hundred and twenty-five million and see us when in want of hath a shrine and a votary. Loved as dollars, and the surplus now being col- anything in our line. lected is reaching the sum of more than sixty millions annually. Debauched by this immense temptation, the remedy of the republican party is to meet and exhaust by extravagant appropriation and

expenses-whether constitutional or not-this accumulation of extravagant taxations. The democratic policy is to enforce frugality in public expenses and fully attended to. abolish unnecessary taxation. Ourestablished domestic industries and enterprises should not, and need not be endangered by the reduction and correction of the burdens of taxation. On the contrary, a fair and careful revision of our tax laws, with a due allowance for the difference between the wages of American and foreign labor must promote and encourage every branch of such industries and enterprises, by giving them the assurances of an extended market and steady and continuous operations, in the interests of American labor-which should in no event be neglected. The revision of our tax laws, contemplated by the democratic party, should promote the advantage of such labor by cheapening the cost of the necessaries of life in the home of every working man, and at the same time securing to him steady and remu-

nerative employment. Upon this quest-

ion of tariff reform, so closely concerning

every phase of our national life, and upon

every question involved in the problem

of good government, the democratic

party submits its principles and pro-

fession to the American people."

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Has a good public school system. Has one of the most thorough colleges for females in the South.

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ing houses. Has seven well equipped livery stables. this office. Has four railroad lines running into the city, and others in contemplation. Has the Asheville Daily Sun, the only daily paper in Western North Carolina A

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